

VOLUME II.

# DEFENDS NAVY IN A REPORT

## Secretary Metcalf Says The Vessels Of Our Fleet Are Equal To Three Of Other Countries.

### HIS OPINION BASED ON THE REPORT

#### Made By Admiral Converse, Who Investigated The Charges Made Relative To The Unfitness Of The Present Pacific Fleet.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Washington, D. C., Feb. 8.—Admiral Converse today submitted to Secretary Metcalf a report upon the results of his investigation into the recently published criticisms of designs of American naval vessels.

**Not Public.**

The report was not made public, but it can be stated that the report undertakes to demonstrate that the fighting ships of the American navy were, at the date of their design, the best ships in the world. They are comparable today on even terms with the ships in any other navy.

**Good Shape.**

According to latest records the navy has profited by the recent necessity of employment in many lines, in the way of enlistments and the commission is now only about five hundred men short.

**Affects Taxes.**

A United States supreme court decision in the case of N. C. Foster against Wm. Rowe of Eau Claire, Wis., is in favor of Rowe. The main effect of the decision is the helping of the work of the old Eau Claire county tax commission and compels the rural district to pay taxes accordingly.

**Secures Indictment.**

A dispatch from Portland, Ore., says former U. S. District Attorney John H. Hall, who was indicted for conspiracy with the Butte Creek Lumber company to maintain an alleged illegal fence which included twenty thousand acres of public lands, was today found guilty.

# FINDS HIS MONEY IN RUINS OF HOME

## Picks up Fifty Dollars While Searching For Salvage From Fire.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 8.—While searching through the ruins of his home which was destroyed by fire Wednesday night, W. A. Davling found the charred remains of a pocketbook. Upon opening it he discovered four ten dollar bills which he contained undamaged while the fire had one end burned off. The bills were rolled tightly together.

**Was Found Guilty.**

George Paradiso de Marchando, who has been on trial here for obtaining money under false pretenses, was found guilty by the jury after five minutes deliberation and upon the first vote. Paradiso swindled French families in Eau Claire, Chippewa Falls, Minneapolis and a number of other cities by representing them to be heirs of estates in Canada and obtained money for the purpose of establishing the claims. Witnesses from all the cities in which he worked out, including Milwaukee, were present at the trial.

# NUMEROUS CASES IN THE JUSTICE COURT

## Several Garnishee Suits and Several Other Cases Up Before Judge Tullman Today.

Before Judge Tullman this morning

LUTHER BURBANK AND HIS AERIAL POTATOES.



Seedless oranges, seedless apples, the creation of new flowers, the production of the thornless edible cactus—these wonders constitute only part of the miracles which Luther Burbank has performed at his Santa Rosa estate in California. His chief work has been with the potato. He created the Burbank potato, which, it is estimated, has added to the wealth of the nation upward of \$20,000,000, later success is with the so-called aerial potatoes. He grows potatoes on a tomato vine in the air, instead of in the ground. While the potato and tomato are very closely allied in family ties, being indeed not far removed blood relations, they are as far apart as the poles when it comes to any satisfactory manipulation, but some very remarkable results have developed in his attempts to cross the two. For example, he has produced tomatoes from the seeds of plants pollinated only from potato pollen. He has produced what he aptly calls "aerial potatoes," most peculiar in form, growing on a Burbank potato vine, grafted on a tomato plant. These open air potatoes are of different shapes and sizes, as well as colors. These are shown in the picture above. Some of them assume grotesque forms and appear quite like little pigs.

The recent gift by Andrew Carnegie of \$12,000, to be spent by Mr. Burbank in further experiments, has done much to center attention on this genius.

Without a university training and with only a fundamental education upon which he has built by wide



THE MOST INTERESTING POLITICAL GAME AT PRESENT. Delegates! Delegates! Who's got the Delegate?

# FELL SIXTY FEET AND IS UNINJURED

## Painter at New State Capitol Drops to Certain Death to Escape Uninjured.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 8.—Carl Hughes fell 60 feet this morning while working on the new capitol and was picked up for dead and carried to the hospital. He came to and is practically uninjured. He was painting the ironwork and fell from the third floor to the basement, landing on a pile of dirt on the basement floor.

# SHEBOYGAN WORKING FOR CHEAPER RATES

## Fifty Names Already Secured to Take Matter Up With Rate Commission.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 8.—The first fifty names have been added to the petition to the Wisconsin railroad commission for a reduction of Sheboygan's water rates. The list is growing rapidly and it is proposed to have 1000 signatures before it is presented at Madison.

**Still Shut.**

Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 8.—In spite of two days of constant snow fighting, communication by interurban line between Sheboygan and Plymouth is still shut off and it is doubtful whether it can be resumed by tomorrow. Some of the drifts are ten feet in height.

# IMPRESSIVE RITES AT ROYAL FUNERAL

## King of Portugal Laid at Rest Amid Funeral Quiet in Which All Lisbon Unites as Tribute.

Lisbon, Feb. 8.—Ceremonious simple and impressive marked the funeral services over the bodies of King Carlos and the Crown Prince Luis, held in the church of San Vincente this afternoon. There was no untoward incident. The line of the funeral procession from the palace to the church was guarded by troops. All the governments of Europe and America were represented by special missions and the streets were thronged with people.

# WAUKESHA FIVE WAS NOT SPEEDY ENOUGH

## Local High School Team Is Victorious in Fast Game at High School Last Night.

In the best and fastest game yet played by the Janesville high school basketball team they defeated the Waukesha high school team by a score of twenty-five to twenty last evening. A large crowd of enthusiastic Janesville voters contributed their share to the result. The lineup was as follows:

JANESVILLE	WAUKESHA
Cunningham, Forward	Fred Ward
Strang, Forward	Hair
Crissay, Center	Knowlton
Hemphill, Guard	Karl
P. Robertson, Guard	Frank Ward

**Get Out of the Rut:** Make a change and come to the Salvation Army, Sunday evening, Feb. 9th, at 8 o'clock. Great invitation meeting. Good songs and short talks. All are invited. The number is 8 Milwaukee street. Capt. and Mrs. Fleming officers in charge.

# CHARLES MORSE TO COME BACK AT ONCE

## New York Banker Will Come Back to Face the Investigation That Is Promised.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Liverpool, Feb. 8.—Charles W. Morse will leave here this afternoon for New York on the steamer Etruria. This is a complete change in Morse's plans caused by the receipt of a cablegram from New York.

**Has Sailed.**

Liverpool, Feb. 8.—Charles W. Morse, the New York banker, who arrived here this morning on the steamer Campania, sailed for New York on the steamer Etruria this afternoon. A cablegram from New York hastened his departure.

# LEFT HISTORICAL BOOKS TO LIBRARY

## Will of Late Chief Justice Leaves Important Books to State Historical Library.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Madison, Wis., Feb. 8.—By the will of the late Chief Justice John B. Case, many important historical books are left to the state historical library. Of the rest of his library the law books are left to his son and the remainder divided among the children. His estate amounted to \$30,000, of which \$20,000 is real estate and \$10,000 is personal property. This is evenly divided between the five surviving children.



# WILLIAM D. HAYWOOD.

New York, Feb. 8.—William D. Haywood is out as socialist candidate for the presidency of the United States at the next election. This was decided after a conference with Eugene V. Debs, Haywood, who was recently acquitted on a charge of murder at Idaho, Idaho, was received with hearty enthusiasm by the New York socialists.

There will be a conference at the office of Lawyer Morris Minkoff, at which the plan for the next convention will be made. It will probably be held in Chicago in April or May.

**Given a Surprise:** Last evening at her home, 361 South Franklin street, Mrs. William Haywood was surprised by forty of her friends, who presented her with a beautiful pedestal. The evening was spent at club and at card-party, a delicious luncheon was served, followed by dancing until an early hour this morning. The Misses Lucy and Tillie Aera furnished the music.

# BATTLESHIPS START ON PACIFIC SIDE

## Begin Their Trip to the Pacific with Its Waters in Sight Through Straits.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Punta Arenas, Feb. 8.—The American battleships accompanied by the torpedo boat flotilla cleared from the harbor at one o'clock this morning in their way through the western half of the strait to the Pacific coast.

# STOLE WREATHS OF DEAD FOR BOUQUETS

## Two Young Girls Loot Box of Flowers For Funeral—Were Both Arrested.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 8.—Charged with robbing a box containing a floral wreath purchased to decorate the casket of a dead friend, three young women were arrested by officers Wolfe and Wendling. The box containing the flowers was left on a seat in the Milwaukee depot during the temporary absence of its owner. Upon her return she found it stripped of every flower it contained. The officers located the young women by huge bouquets they were wearing on their coats.

# EYESIGHT RUINED BY CARELESS BOYS

## Two Young Women Struck by Bits of Ice While Out Driving Last Evening.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 8.—Miss Corrella L. Cooper of the high school faculty and Miss Frankie, clerk and recently graduated from the high school, were seriously injured last night while on a sleigh ride as a result of cruel thoughtlessness on the part of several young men who followed the sleigh and threw pieces of ice into it. Both young ladies had their eyes injured and it is feared that the right eye of Miss Clark will have to be removed. The identity of the young men is not known.

# FLORENCE COUNTY HAS A BAD BLAZE

## Courthouse Destroyed with a Loss of Ten Thousand Dollars to County.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Marietta, Wis., Feb. 8.—The courthouse at Florence was damaged to the extent of \$10,000 by fire last night. The flames originated in the basement. Several of the offices of the first floor were gutted, but the records are all intact. The loss is covered by insurance.

# FINANCIAL TROUBLE CAUSED HIS SUICIDE

## Man Prominent in Illinois Ends His Life This Morning Due to Money Affairs.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Moline, Ill., Feb. 8.—Frank W. Gould, president of the Union Machine Iron company and president of the board of trustees of the Western Illinois Hospital for Insane at Watertown, committed suicide today by shooting. Financial troubles were the cause.

# FLORIDA KEYS SUBJECT TO THE WILL OF MAN AT LAST

## First Steps In Reclaiming The Great Florida Country Have Been Accomplished.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Washington, D. C., Feb. 8.—War department officials were advised this week that the first train had been run across the Florida keys and that Cuba in reality is more of a neighbor to the United States ever. Troops and supplies now can be pushed far out into the waters of the Gulf, should occasion demand such a movement, and Havana is within a reaching distance. The immense military importance of this extension of the Florida East Coast line is apparent. The benefits accruing from the great engineering feat pushed through by Henry M. Flagler will be enhanced once the road is completed to Key West. The island is being transformed into a garbion of as much strategic usefulness to the United States as Malta is to England.

According to advice, the inauguration of the steamship service to Cuba was undertaken simultaneously with the arrival of the first train to Knight's Key, the present southern terminus of the road. The steamer Hatteras made the first voyage, carrying a large list of passengers. The line will boast a number of commodious steamers and will connect closely with the trains.

Aside from the interest taken by the War department authorities in this railway extension across the waters of the Gulf of Mexico the excitement aroused in scientific circles by the discovery of some ancient ruins on Knight's Key. The Smithsonian Institution has been advised of these discoveries, and a party of government experts may be detailed to make further explorations.

The history of Knight's Key is one of mystery and romance. The little island takes its name from the fact that early in the eighteenth century a man of proud bearing took up his residence there, transforming the reef into an almost impenetrable stronghold. He surrounded himself with adventures and engaged in the hazardous business of piracy. The busi-

ness in those days was profitable, for the rich galleons of Spain were prizes worth the daring.

No one appears to know the nationality of this man, although his ships were of English, he dominated the reaches of spirits by sheer personality, and never had it that he was a real pirate. When he had voyaged on the sea traffic of the day sufficient bloody toll to satisfy his greed he disappeared as mysteriously and as quietly as he came. The band fell to pieces, many of its members deserting to other leaders. Their chief in all likelihood returned to the court from whence he came, there to live royally on his ill-gotten gains.

Without a name during his owner's occupancy, the island was christened by the few adventurers left. Knowing nothing of the name or nationality of their leader, they yet acknowledged his superiority and were convinced he was of noble birth. Thence sprang the name, which has lasted to the present day. Ruins of the citadel have been found in the jungle on the island, and it is believed those ruins will yield up much of historical value.

Governor Magoun, who is in Washington to report to the President on the Cuban situation, is reported as being highly pleased over the extension of the East Coast line. The big statesman is holding down a job where prompt action may be necessary at any moment, for revolutions grow in the West Indies over night. It is comforting to know that only a few hours now separate the Cuban capital from the camps and depots of Uncle Sam.

To Cuba the extension means much. It will stimulate travel to it and to the other islands of the West Indies, for the terrors of seasickness practically are abolished. Americans yet may become as familiar with the streets of Havana as they now are with the boulevards of Washington or the avenues of New York and Chicago.

# EDWARD WALL IS NOT TO BE A CANDIDATE

## Milwaukee Democratic Politician Will Not Seek Place as Delegate.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 8.—Had Edward C. Wall become an active candidate for delegate at large from Milwaukee to the national convention he would undoubtedly have had ample support for the place, but Mr. Wall giving the matter careful consideration has decided that in view of the many honors that have been bestowed upon him by the democratic party, that he will not enter that field.

# ARE INDICTED FOR POSTOFFICE FRAUDS

## Publishing Man and Mail Clerk Are Indicted for Joint Conspiracy to Defraud Government.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] Portland, Me., Feb. 8.—George Frederick Terry, the general manager of the Sawyer Publishing company at Waterville, and Henry W. Hoshan, who for years has handled second and third class mail matter in the Waterville postoffice, were indicted in the federal court today for an alleged joint conspiracy to defraud the government out of large sums of postage.

# MARKET REPORT

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Chicago, Feb. 8.—Cattle receipts, 100; market, steady; heavy, 3.15@3.16; 6:10; cows and heifers, 1.75@1.85; western, 3.00@1.70; calves, 5.00@7.25. Hog receipts, 26,000; market, strong; light, 4.15@4.45; heavy, 4.20@4.25; mixed, 4.20@4.40; pigs, 3.50@4.10; bulk of sales, 4.35@4.40. Sheep receipts, 5,000; market, steady; western, 3.25@3.50; natives, 3.25@3.50; lambs, 5.00@7.10. Wheat: July—Opening, 93 3/4@94; high, 94; low, 93; closing, 93 3/4 bld. May—Opening, 93 3/4@94; high, 94; low, 93 3/4; closing, 93 3/4 bld. Rye—Closing, 83. Barley—Closing, 78@80. Corn—May, 61 1/2; July, 59 1/2; Sept., 59 1/2. Oats—Closing—May, old, 54; May, 51 1/2@52; July, old, 48 1/2; July, 48 1/2; Sept., 38 1/2. Poultry—turkeys, 11; chickens, 11 1/2; springer, 14 1/2. Butter—Creamery, 22@23; dairy, 21@22. Eggs—20 1/2@21 1/2.

# JANESVILLE MARKETS.

Janesville, Feb. 4.

Ear Corn	\$1.07@1.17.
Corn Meal	\$28 per ton.
Feed Corn and Oats	\$29@30 per ton.
Standard Middlings	\$30@32 per ton.
Oil Meal	\$1.85 to \$1.95 per cwt.
Oats	\$20@22 cents per bushel.
Hay	\$11@12 per ton.
Straw	\$4@5 per ton.
Brans	\$25@26 per ton.
Rye	75¢ for 60 lbs.
Barley	75¢.
Creamery Butter	23 1/2¢.
Dairy Butter	20@21¢.
Eggs—Fresh	23@24¢; cold storage, 19@20¢.
Potatoes	50¢@60¢ bu.
Beef	11¢, Feb. 2.—Creamery butter quoted at 23¢.

# MAKE APPOINTMENTS FOR WHOLE DIOCESE

## Bishop Fox Names the Priests Who Are to Aid in Church Work in Northern Part of the State.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Milwaukee, Feb. 8.—Bishop Fox has announced the appointment of four general Mackinnon as pastor of the Holy Christ Church at Kaukauna. He will continue to act as vicar general. The scarcity of priests in the Green Bay diocese is a sad makes it necessary for the vicar general to take up this work.

Other appointments made by the Bishop are as follows: Rev. Joseph A. Marx of Kilbuck, secretary to the Bishop; Rev. Joseph Bastian from Seymour to St. Mary's church at Clinton; Rev. C. Miller from St. Kaukauna to Morrison; Rev. A. Roemer from Morrison to Seymour; Rev. August, a newly ordained priest, assistant at St. Kaukauna; Rev. Oswald from Glenmore to Kilbuck; Rev. A. Insold from Kaukauna to Seymour.

# ROYALTY ATTENDED THE REQUIEM MASS

## English Royal Family Pay Honor to the Dead King of Portugal Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.] London, Feb. 8.—King Edward, Queen Alexandra, the Prince of Wales and other members of the royal family were present at requiem mass this afternoon in the Catholic church of St. James in the Spanish Place for the late king and crown prince of Portugal.

# GAVE THEIR SKIN FOR FELLOW WORKER

## Drakemen Welrick and Radke of the Northwestern Had Injured Completion.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.] Duluth, Feb. 8.—Two Northwestern firemen, Welrick and Radke of Duluth, were here today to permit eight square inches of skin to be grafted from their bodies and placed upon that of Homer Pitts the engineer who was so frightfully scalded some ten weeks ago.

# TWILIGHT CLUB TO HEAR ABOUT JAPAN

## From A. Izumi, a Native of That Country, and Darrell Hibbard Who Taught School There Several Years.

"Japan" will be the subject discussed before the Twilight club next Tuesday evening and A. Izumi, a citizen of the Island Kingdom who is pursuing a post-graduate course of study at the University of Wisconsin, will speak, discussing the racial questions, possessions in Korea and Manchuria, and the effect of these matters upon commercial relations with the United States. Darrell Hibbard of Racine, a brother of C. V. Hibbard who was a school teacher in Japan for some years, will also come from Madison to discuss "The People, Life, and Customs." Rev. John McKinney, pastor of Christ Episcopal church, is to be leader and has arranged a program which promises to be unusually interesting.















## Of Course They Said So.

"How did you happen to come to me for your Dentistry?" said Dr. Richard to a patient recently.

"Why, you see I'm a stranger here," said the party, "and I inquired of several people as to what Dentist to go to and they all said 'Dr. Richards' if I wanted 'Painless work'."

"Of course, I didn't want to be hurt and so I came up to you."

"Well, are you sorry you came?"

"Not a bit. You never hurt me in the least."

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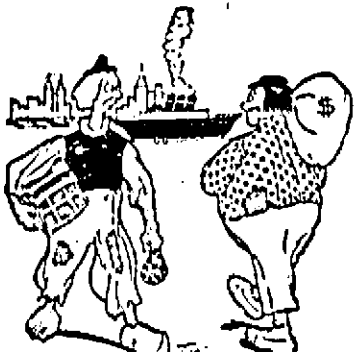
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## DAN HIGGINS MAY NOT BE PROSECUTED

For Alleged Theft of Gold Watch and Attempt to Molest the Chop Suey Restaurant Cash-Register.

Daniel Higgins, son of a well-known farmer residing in the town of Harmony, whose suspicious actions last evening led to the belief that he was trying to open and ransack the cash register at the Chop Suey restaurant, may not be prosecuted. A gold watch belonging to a Mrs. McDermott was tendered as security for the price of his meal but when Mr. McDermott was located this afternoon he was not disposed to prosecute the man, asserting that he would be quite content just to get the property back. Mrs. J. J. Myers, wife of the proprietor of the establishment, was conveying Higgins' order to the cook, when, in changing to glance into the mirror of the sideboard which stands near the kitchen door, she saw the customer slide over to and crouch under the cash register which is located at the end of the counter in the front part of the place. Before he could press one of the keys to throw the drawer open, as was his apparent intention, she turned and came back to the counter. The order was finally gotten to the kitchen without giving Higgins a chance to carry out his evident design, but when he came to pay for his meal he was unable to produce any money and tendered the watch. Officer Samuel Brown was notified regarding the incident after the man had left the place and nabbed him on East Milwaukee street. Two cans of sardines, salt-cod, and two partially filled bottles of whiskey, were among the "plunder" found on his person. It was learned that he made several unsuccessful efforts yesterday to pawn the watch.

## BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Returned From Nebraska: Attorney E. D. McGowan and J. L. Fisher returned this morning from Laup City, Nebraska, to which they made a hurried trip for Mrs. Hanson Griffen. Last week on business connected with the settling up of the large estate left by her husband, George Leo, who took his life on Dec. 18.

Going to Hot Springs: Officer John Brown of the Janesville police force, George Croft, superintendent of the stone crusher, and William Bartlett expect to depart Tuesday for Hot Springs, Arkansas, where they will take treatment for about three weeks. Samuel Brown will take Officer Brown's place on the force.

Left Yesterday for Denver: Upon receiving tidings of the certified illness of his brother-in-law, Charles Hines, Officer William Mason departed yesterday morning for Denver. The news of Mr. Hines' death reached the city some time thereafter and word was conveyed to Officer Mason through a telegram sent to DeKalb. He will accompany the remains and the wife and children back to Janesville.

Men's Meeting: Rev. R. M. Vaughan will lead the Men's Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. building tomorrow afternoon at three. Rev. Warren Freeman, formerly of Janesville and now of Chicago, will also speak. There will be special music and a cordial invitation is extended to all men to be present.

Enjoyed Good Time: Last evening the members of the Loyal Americans of the Republic enjoyed a sociable evening at the Spanish-American Veterans' hall. Five hundred was played and a delicious supper served, after which O. Kennedy of South Bend, Ind., talked and a dance followed.

Saved by Her "Pomp": Down in Belmont last evening J. D. Cleghorn and Miss Lillian Mauerer were thrown from a cutter and Miss Mauerer saved from serious injury by her head striking the iron rim, by her pompadour and a thick cap. Mr. Cleghorn was slightly injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Entertain: Mr. and Mrs. William Morris entertained the Neighborhood Five Hundred Club last evening at their new home at 160 Madison street. The evening was spent in playing cards after which a tempting supper was served.

## LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

St. Agnes Guild supper Feb. 12, East Side I. O. O. F. hall, 5 to 8.

Use Taylor's Holyoke cake.

Lincoln's birthday supper Wednesday, East Side I. O. O. F. hall.

Council Chamber cigars are the best.

St. Agnes Guild Trinity church supper 5 to 8, Lincoln's birthday, East Side I. O. O. F. hall.

The W. R. C. will hold a regular meeting at G. A. R. hall Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Phi lunch Saturday night at 5 N. Franklin St. E. W. Miller, Prop.

All members of Florence Camp 566, M. W. A., are requested to be present at the regular meeting Monday evening. Delegates to the county convention are to be elected at this meeting.

J. W. Van Buren, Clerk.

Don't miss our annual clearing sale, New bargains every day. All suits, cloaks, and furs go at less than half price. T. P. Burns.

The people of Janesville evidently were surprised to find that Wetmore sells goods at retail from the questions they asked upon calling for the advertised goods. Wetmore's introductory sale seems almost an innovation in a retail toilet goods.

Men's extra fine fleeced lined underswear sold by others at \$1.00, our clearing sale price 65c. T. P. Burns.

Who is Frank Dixon?

He is a man who knows how to lecture—presently a Lyceum lecturer—as has been demonstrated by the phenomenal success of the past five years upon the platform. Gifted by nature with the temperament of the orator, possessed of the Roman's sense of justice, of the Greek's precision of speech, swayed by a prophetic vision of national righteousness, it was evident from the moment Mr. Dixon first appeared before a general audience, that in him the highest ideals of the lecture platform had found splendid embodiment. He is a man whose message is vital to the nation. He speaks with the authority of one who knows the truth, and has no fear of man. He closes the Epworth League lecture course at the Methodist church next Monday night. A rare treat for Janesville people. Don't miss it.

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## NARROW ESCAPE FOR BRODHEAD FAMILY

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Brodhead, Wis., Jan. 8.—Word has been received here from Gust Post, who went to Mount Clemens, Mich., that he and family are safe, having escaped from the hotel which was destroyed by fire. They had gone there on account of Mr. Post's health and had rooms on the second floor. They saved their lives by jumping from the windows. Mr. Post also rescued a woman who had fainted and fallen in a hallway. Friends here are glad to know Mr. Post and family are safe.

James G. Monahan of Darlington will deliver his lecture, "The Responsibilities of Citizenship," in Brodhead for the benefit of the high school in the near future.

The Knights of Pythias had a banquet in their hall on Thursday evening after conferring of degrees upon some candidates. The affair was a most pleasant one. On the fifth of the month another big thing is in store for this lodge. At that time it is expected Grand Chancellor Zeno Host and Grand Keeper of Records and Seal will be with them on an official visit, and it is also expected that a large delegation from the Monroville lodge will be present. Work of conferring ranks and a banquet will be the order of the evening. Several new candidates are being initiated.

B. E. McCormick and wife of Watkeshu are expected here tomorrow for a short visit. Mr. McCormick comes with the high school basketball team of that city as their coach and will do battle with the local high school team in Bronghton's hall this evening. Both teams have won high reputation and a close and fast game is expected.

Momodama C. A. Steele and G. E. Dixon entertained friends to the number of nearly a hundred on Thursday and Friday evenings. Thursday evening the game was chess and last evening "500" was played. A most pleasant time is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Cobb returned last evening from Milwaukee, where they had been the greater part of the week.

Although the walks about the city have been in a very slippery condition since the recent storm no real serious accidents have occurred. Mrs. Schultz, however, received quite a severe fall last evening, but no bones were broken. She was considerably shaken up and sick afterwards and it is hoped no serious results will develop.

Our leeches are busy harvesting the season's supply of ice. It is about a foot in thickness and of very fine quality.

Word has been received here that Mr. Easton Johnson, whose home is at the south of the city, captured the first place in the state held in the Normal school at Whitewater last week Friday, which was held to ascertain who should represent the school at the international debate to be held in Superior soon. Mr. Johnson's topic was "Altruism versus Egoism." His many friends here are elated over his success.

Wesley W. Patton Post and Corps had a jolly campfire in their hall last evening in honor of Department Commander John C. Martin. Choice refreshments were served and with singing and speaking the evening passed quickly.

On Wednesday afternoon Bell-Camp No. 722 entertained Mrs. Eva Childs of Hanover, a member of the supreme board of managers of the R. N. A. An address by Mrs. Childs was the principal part of the program, although a sumptuous dinner was much enjoyed. Mrs. Childs' address was very instructive and much enjoyed.

The W. C. T. U. announces a parlor meeting for next Thursday evening to be held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Oliver.

Hon. Burr Sprague, who has been in the past week, is somewhat better.

Mr. T. W. W. of Janesville was the guest of Mrs. G. E. Dixon on Thursday and returned home Friday.

Mrs. W. W. Douglas was in Janesville the forepart of the week, the guest of Mrs. Dudley.

Miss Birdie Burdette left on Sunday for St. Paul, Minn., where she is engaged as trimmer in a large millinery establishment.

Little Mable Fairman is reported as better after an attack of pneumonia.

Revival meetings will begin next Sunday evening at the Baptist church conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. P. Williams.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pierce, a son, Feb. 2.

Mrs. F. Heath, who has been ill with a severe attack of neuritis, is now better.

C. P. Mooney, conductor on the Albany train, is ill with pneumonia.

Miss Lotta Fleck entertained a party of friends on Wednesday evening at a whist party.

There will be Lincoln services at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Jessie Blackford of Juda is visiting with relatives and friends in the city for a time.

L. C. Bartlett, who has been very sick for a fortnight, is now able to be about again.

"The Union Depot" will be presented next Thursday evening by local talent in Bronghton's opera-house for the benefit of the Good Temple lodge.

James Reiche, a brother-in-law to W. L. Gier, who has been visiting the latter's family, returned to his home in Terre, S. D., the fore part of the week.

Ray Klumb of the Klondike with his bride have been the guests of Brodhead relatives this week. They left for their home in the frozen north on Thursday. They expect to travel 350 miles on ice before they reach home.

George Blackford of Juda was here last evening to attend the concert and dance given by the Ladies' Fraternal orchestra of Milwaukee.

Miss Emma Newman of Stillwater, Minn., is the guest of her sister, Miss Lora V. Newman.

To Extract Splinter.

Take a whole-mouthed bottle and almost fill it full of hot water, then put the part with the splinter over the mouth of the bottle and press tightly. The suction will draw the flesh down and in a minute or two the hot steam will make the splinter come out and draw the soreness out immediately.

Buy it in Janesville.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. E. M. McGlinchy who has been seriously ill is reported to be much improved.

S. A. Cooper has moved the "Independent" newspaper plant to the corner of Franklin and Dodge streets.

Philip Koch left last evening for Superior.

F. J. Bailey will depart next week for Palm Beach and Cleveland, Fla., where he expects to spend the balance of the winter.

John Dawson has arrived from Chicago, called here by the death of his brother.

Dr. Warren P. Bohan of Chicago arrives in the city this evening, a guest of Rev. R. M. Vaughan. Formerly a resident of Janesville, he is now professor of social and biblical studies at the Young Men's Christian association training school, Chicago. He will preach tomorrow morning and evening at the Baptist church.

Miss Helene Scherer has been forced to return home from school being seriously ill with rheumatic fever.

Dan Higgins is confined to his home with a severe attack of the grip.

Dr. Roy of Minneapolis is a visitor in the city today.

F. L. Little and George Reinhardt of Jefferson are transacting business here.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Jones and son, James Van Rilla, were Janesville visitors yesterday.

Esq. W. D. Board of P. Atkinson was in Janesville Thursday afternoon.

W. L. Norris, former member of the high school faculty, was here from Chicago yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sweeney, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Leary, and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clary who were here to attend the E. C. of C. banquet returned to Edgerton yesterday.

John C. Murdoch and H. T. Keller of Brodhead and H. O. Reynolds of Milwaukee transacted business here this week with B. A. Oliver, district manager of the Wls. Telephone Co.

Atty. H. W. Adams and B. C. Dowd of Beloit were guests of Atty. T. S. Nolan last evening.

Editor Fred Conley of the Edgerton Tobacco Reporter is in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Drew are rejoicing over the arrival of an infant son at their home on South Jackson street.

Mrs. W. H. Warner has departed for a visit of several weeks' duration in Colorado.

James Monahan of Darlington was here yesterday and today.

Atty. Lynn Smith of Jefferson is here today to try a case before Judge Tallman.

W. G. Wheeler returned yesterday from a business trip in the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Stow is confined to her home by illness.

Mr. Perkins of Rice Lake was in Janesville today on business.

A. A. Pinkle, of the Rock River Machine Co., left this morning for New York city. Mr. Pinkle preceded him by a few days.

Atty. J. J. Cunningham went to Chicago today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Lewis returned yesterday from a visit in Whitewater.

The Misses Emma and Louise Sieber of Janesville spent Friday with Mrs. James Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fulton and child and Miss Gertrude Fulton of Ouellet Mills, Pa., are guests at the Edward Stevens of Chicago is here to spend Sunday with his parents, Major and Mrs. F. F. Stevens.

Home of their cousin, John Fulton, 10 South River street. Mrs. W. H. Fulton of Rockford is also visiting there.

## OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary Atkinson.

Mrs. Mary Atkinson died yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Dayton, 309 Milton avenue. Mrs. Atkinson was seventy-four years old at the time of her death, being born at Ashby, Lincolnshire, England, on February 27, 1834.

She has lived in Janesville for the past fifty-eight years. She is survived by two daughters and six grandchildren. The daughters are Mrs. Mary Dayton, of Janesville, and Mrs. William Boyes of Tacoma, Washington. The grandchildren are J. W. Boynton, Clarence and Alice Dayton of Janesville, B. J. Boyes of Minneapolis, and Mrs. Bert Garrett of Janesville.

Mrs. John Earler of Tacoma. The funeral will be held from the house at 309 Milton avenue at two thirty Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Rebecca Locke.

Mrs. Rebecca Locke died at her home at 62 North street last evening at ten o'clock. Mrs. Locke, who was sixty-three years old at the time of her death, is survived by her husband, Martin Locke, and three children, Charles, Walter, and Ella, all of Janesville. Mr. and Mrs. Locke and their family moved here from Edgerton about a year ago. The funeral will be held from the house Monday morning at nine thirty and the body will be taken to Edgerton for burial.

Deane All Left-Handed.

Livingston, the great explorer of Africa, who had more chances than most men have to learn the habits of wild beasts, says in his books that they are all left-handed, so to speak, or left-pawed, if you like that way of putting it better. The lion, he says, always strikes with its left paw.

Read the want ads.

SHURTLEFF'S CREAMERY BUTTER 30c.

2 lbs. Cheese equal 1 lb. Butter.

FULL CREAM BRICK CHEESE

at the remarkably low price of 15c per lb.

WALNUT HILL Full Cream American CHEESE 18c These the BEST goods made.

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GROCERIES AND MEATS.

## MANY CHILDREN IN COURT-ROOM THROG

Judge Fifield May Order Gallery Cleared When Joyce Examination Actually Begins—Now Set For February 15.

At ten o'clock this morning a crowd which taxed the capacity of the gallery space in the municipal court chambers assembled at the city hall. It was the hour set for the examination of William Joyce on the charge preferred by Clara Lemcke, but proceedings were delayed a quarter of an hour in order that District Attorney J. L. Fisher, returning from a business trip to Laup City, Neb., might be present. Both the district attorney and Atty. E. H. Ryan, representing the defendant, asked for postponement to next Saturday morning, Feb. 15, and this was granted by the court.

The hall remains the same. If requested to do so by the parties to the case, Judge Fifield may clear the court room when the examination actually begins. In any event boys of twelve and fourteen years of age, such as clambered into the front seats this morning, will not be allowed to remain nor will girls of tender years, some of whom this morning asked for permission to stand in the office doorway when they found it impossible to get through the throng which blocked the main entrance, be allowed to remain. On Wednesday of next week the assault and battery case of the State vs. Cox will be tried before a jury.

BUSINESS HANDED DOWN FROM FATHER TO SON FOR THREE GENERATIONS NOW

Helms Seed Company Succeeds Walter Helms in the Seed

With the changing of the firm name from Walter Helms to the Helms Seed Company, this old established concern with headquarters on South Main street passes into the third generation of Helms as direct manager. It was first established forty-one years ago by the father of Walter Helms and was handed down to him and now he turns the management to his son Edward.

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## CURRENCY BILL OF MINORITY READY

MEASURE INTRODUCED BY JOHN SHARP WILLIAMS.

### DEMOCRATS SUPPORT IT

Provisions Include Limitation of Bank Liabilities and Plan for Issuance of Emergency Treasury Notes.

Washington, Feb. 8.—What will be known as "the minority currency bill" was introduced Friday by Representative John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, the Democratic leader of the house, who drew the measure as a result of a conference of Democrats behind closed doors.

Those besides Mr. Williams who participated in the conference were Messrs. Lewis of Georgia, Fujo of Louisiana, Glass of Virginia, Gillespie of Texas, Cillo James of Kentucky, Crawford of North Carolina, and McHenry of Pennsylvania—all members of the committee on banking and currency. Entire harmony is said to have marked the meeting.

Some of its provisions.

Among the provisions of the bill are the following:

It repeals all laws permitting national banks to keep three-fifths of their reserves in national banks of reserve cities, and similar laws permitting such deposit of one-half of the reserve amounts.

It provides that not less than one-half of the reserves now required to be kept in lawful money in central reserve cities, shall be hereafter held in gold or gold certificates.

It does away with the payment of national bank examiners by the fee system and substitutes salaries not less than \$3,000 nor in excess of \$5,000, yearly, with actual expenses.

Limits the Liabilities.

It provides that the total liabilities of any national bank, inclusive of the liabilities of its members, shall not exceed one-tenth of the bank's paid-in and undivided capital stock and one-tenth of its impaired surplus funds, and that in no event shall the liabilities exceed 50 per cent. of the capital stock.

But the discount of bills of exchange drawn in good faith against actually existing values, and the discount of commercial or business paper actually owned by the person negotiating it, shall not be considered as liabilities.

Violation of this section is made a misdemeanor punishable by fine or imprisonment.

No national bank shall loan in the aggregate more than seven times the amount of its paid-up capital plus its unimpaired surplus. Violation is punishable as provided in the section preceding.

Bonds as Bank Reserve.

Any national bank may keep 60 per cent. of its reserve in United States bonds or bonds of states or in the bonds of certain municipalities; but not more than one-fourth of the total reserve may be kept in state or municipal bonds; and the bonds shall be acceptable only of such municipalities as have maintained their bonds at or above par for six years preceding, and have been in corporate existence ten years, and have never defaulted in their funded debt, and whose net indebtedness does not exceed 18 per cent. of their taxable property. The acceptability of such bonds as reserve security shall be passed on by the attorney general of the state in which the municipality is located; and these bonds shall be known as "interconvertible bonds."

Elastic Currency Provided.

The elastic currency feature of the bill is contained in a section which provides that these interconvertible bonds may be deposited "in the nearest sub-treasury," and the depositing bank shall receive in lieu thereof "United States emergency treasury notes." These notes shall be in the nature of a loan, subject to a taxation of one-eighth of one per cent. for the first four months of their issuance, one-half of one per cent. for the second four months, and one per cent. thereafter. When the bank feels that the emergency has passed and the loan notes are no longer needed, it may redeem them with actual money.

For the creation of a fund of \$15,000,000 for the payment of depositors of failed banks operating under the provisions of this law there is authorized the imposition of a tax of one-sixteenth of one per cent. on the deposits of banks so operating.

TWO PERISH IN A FIRE.

Rooming House at South Sioux City, Neb., Burned.

Sioux City, Ia., Feb. 8.—In a fire of unknown origin at South Sioux City, Neb., at midnight, the rooming house of Edward Streator was burned to the ground. Two lives were lost and five were injured. The dead are Edward Streator and Moritz Albertson.

The injured persons were compelled to jump from the second-story windows. The bodies of Streator and Albertson were not recovered.

In Debt \$400,000 and Disappears.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—Siegfried Friedberg, a private banker and owner of the financial newspaper, the Investors' Advisor, has disappeared. It is said that he has liabilities amounting to \$400,000.

Londoners Fond of Eggs.

London consumers 800,000,000 eggs a year. They weigh 60,000 tons and cost the eaters \$20,000,000.

### NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Ten persons were injured in a wreck on the Pennsylvania railroad near Franklinville, N. Y.

C. N. Bell, a pioneer attorney of Minnesota who drafted the first city charter of St. Paul, is dead.

More than \$250,000 in the treasury of New York city, owing to former employees, has not been called for.

Night riders near Adams, Tenn., burned several barns full of tobacco, shot H. C. Lawrence and his son and whipped a negro.

The American battleship fleet set sail from Punta Arenas after an official reception by the governor of the territory of Magellan.

An Erie passenger train struck and instantly killed Daniel Thomas and Mrs. Phoebe Taylor at a crossing at Hills Tower, near Tallmadge, O.

Dr. Albert Harrison Mixer, professor emeritus of modern languages at the University of Rochester, died in Rochester, aged 85 years. He was a member of the original faculty of the university in 1850.

C. W. Johnstone of Boston, who has been searching for a big shipment of gold which sank with the burning steamer Golden Gate off Manzanillo in 1862, has turned up in San Francisco with a report of failure.

The Isthmian canal commission awarded a contract to the General Electric company for furnishing a power plant to handle the material to be used in the construction of the Gatun locks, at a price between \$191,000 and \$197,000.

C. W. Milbrath, former city treasurer and state assemblyman, and for years one of the most respected citizens of Milwaukee, was sentenced to imprisonment in the penitentiary for three years for the embezzlement of \$300 from a client.

SEEKS HEIRS TO BIG ESTATE.

Minister Charges Them \$10 Each and Gets Into Trouble.

Springfield, O., Feb. 8.—When Rev. W. G. Whitaker, arrested in Dayton for alleged misuse of the mails by United States Marshal Anderson, was searched by Sheriff Almoncy, in this city, \$1,700 in greenbacks was found in his pocket. Whitaker, it is said, has been in all parts of the country endeavoring to interest holders to an enormous estate in England and he alleges that he had found 2,500 of these persons.

The estate, according to Whitaker's story, is that of Capt. John Whitaker and Jane Scott Parker, now held in trust by the Bank of England, and said to be worth from \$500,000,000 to \$800,000,000. It is alleged that Whitaker wrote to each of the supposed heirs asking that they pay him ten dollars each for providing proof of kinship.

Buried Alive by Lascar Crew.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 8.—Mail advices from Hong Kong state that the provost sergeant of the British transport fleet, which had brought the Cameron Highlanders to Hong Kong, was murdered by the Lascar crew by being buried alive in the engine room of the steamer.

No Seat, No Fare, in Oklahoma.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 8.—The state corporation commission Friday issued an order that exempts any person who is unable to secure a seat in a railway coach from paying his fare or giving over his ticket. Unless rescinded the order will become effective in 60 days.

Buy it in Janesville.



The greatest test of shoe quality is in the work shoe—and it is in this particular branch that we lead. Farmers, miners, lumbermen, mechanics, and working men in all occupations, will find that they can get double the wear out of

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They are stoutly made throughout of the most durable upper stock and toughest sole leather obtainable. Their strength and wearing qualities cannot be equaled.

Your dealer will supply you if not, write to us. Look for the Mayer Trade Mark on the sole.

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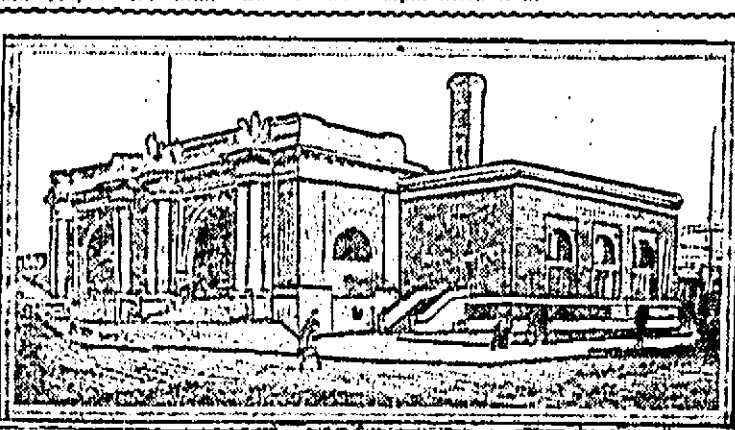
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MISS INEZ SCHAEFER AND HER \$10,000 PRIZE BULLDOG "MAHOMET"

Mahomet has taken 300 first prizes in bulldogging \$25,000 pounds at Glenside, and 10 championships. He is the prize and when finished they will be building of the world. Miss Schaefer sided over by Mahomet as the principal attraction.



A ROMAN PUBLIC BATH IN NEW YORK CITY

Something new in American public baths was opened in New York on January 20. Some years before, it had occurred to the board of health that floating swimming baths anchored in the rivers at the mouths of sewers might be open to sanitary objections. There was no place to put them and so the health authorities tried to withdraw them from service. But the swimmers rose in revolt at this abridgment of their rights, and the authorities had to let them keep on bathing in sewage for the sake of peace. The health officials then resorted to a bank movement. They began building all-the-year-round baths on shore, providing with clean water, with the intention of gradually superseding the sewage baths. The one under discussion was the most ambitious yet provided by any American city for the free use of its citizens. The architects, Arnold W. Brunner and William M. Allen, undertook to combine every practical convenience with a monumental dignity recalling in a small way the baths of Imperial Rome. For cleanliness there are two shower bath departments; one for men and the other for women. Each bath has the use of a double compartment, one for a dressing room, the other for the shower, which descends in an oblique stream. The compartments are walled with the finest polished marble. The shower baths, 55 for each sex, are open all the time, and the swimming pool in the center, 70 by 25 feet, is connected at certain hours with the men's and at certain others with the women's department. After they have become thoroughly clean in the showers the bathers may swim in water warmed in winter and constantly renewed.



"A psychological yawn." Can you look steadily at this picture for two minutes without succumbing to an irresistible and irrepressible desire to do just what the young lady is doing? (From stereograph copyright, 1908, from Underwood & Underwood, New York.)

Danger in Soft Water.

Experience in England shows that in towns supplied with soft water the death rate is 19.2, while in towns that have a supply of hard water it is only 16.5.

Improves on Nature.

An English publication tells a somewhat fairylike story about a new rouge that has been invented that will last for years and is so much like the bloom of youth that it turns pale when the lady is sick and when she is well again gets tender and rosier. This would certainly be an improvement on nature, which has a way of turning blue or yellow upon inopportune occasions.

Difference in Medal's Cost.

A Frenchman, meeting an English soldier with a Waterloo medal, and undervalued accordingly on the government for bestowing such a trifle, which he declared, did not cost three francs. "That is true, to be sure," replied the hero, "it did not cost the English government quite three francs, but it cost the French a Napoleon."—New York Press.

### BOY TRAMPS HOLD MEETING

EXCLUDED BY HOBBOES, THE LADS HAVE OWN CONVENTION.

"Kids" from Various Cities Tell Their Experiences and Give Advice to Others.

St. Louis, Feb. 8.—Boy tramps who were drawn here by the national convention of the unemployed, now in session, and who were not permitted in the councils, which were limited to "hoboes," held a meeting Friday at which addresses were made by men of reputation among the wanderers.

"Kansas City Kid" was the guest of honor, because his "moniker" (monogram) is on more water tanks than that of any other traveler, and short speeches, brimful of advice, were delivered by other well-known tramps.

"New Haven Kid" contrasted conditions in the east and west and said his experience had been that a tramp is more liable to arrest in the east than the west. "Kid Murphy" of Springfield, Ill., advised against the use of "white line" (alcohol and water), saying it caused many holdups. "Jersey Red," who recently returned from Africa, advised tramps to keep away from the sea, because they had to work hard on ships. "Chi Kid VI," with pathos in his voice, told of 22 arrests in two months and advised the boys never to get off trains in front of stations, and recited the advantages of a "good front."

"Gen." J. H. Coxy urged the tramps to settle down that they might be voters by the time his bill came up in congress.

Rev. John Ellis and Dr. Holtman, who styles himself "King of Tramps," also spoke, urging the tramps to become "hoboes" and seek after work.

MISS H. T. HUEY A SUICIDE.

Prominent Philadelphia Woman Kills Herself by Inhaling Gas.

Philadelphia, Feb. 8.—Miss Harriet Baird Huey, former president of the Philadelphia Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, committed suicide at her home in this city Thursday evening by inhaling illuminating gas. Efforts were made to keep the matter a secret, a special inquest having been held in the case by the coroner, and the facts did not become known until Friday. Mrs. Huey was a sister of the late Samuel B. Huey, for many years president of the board of education and a wealthy financier. She was 57 years of age.

CITY OFFICIALS ARRESTED.

Three at Lowell, Mass., Are Accused of Bribery.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 8.—The investigation of certain departments of the city of Lowell by the grand jury led to the arrest late Friday of William C. Doherty, chairman of the board of health; Isaac E. Wotton, chairman of the water board, and Charles P. Lynch, an employee of the water department. All three were taken into custody.

Doherty is charged with bribery and political coercion and Wotton and Lynch with bribery. It is expected that the arrests will lead to a sweeping investigation of the various city departments.

La Follette Boomers Meet.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 8.—A meeting in the interest of the presidential candidacy of Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin was held in this city Friday night, at which the principal speaker was I. L. Lorroot of Superior, former speaker of the Wisconsin general assembly.

Elevator at Storm Lake Burns.

Storm Lake, Ia., Feb. 8.—Wagner's elevator was completely destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. The building contained about 15,000 bushels of oats and a carload of flour and feed. The total loss is about \$70,000.

F. L. Greenleaf of Minneapolis Dies.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 8.—Frank H. L. Greenleaf, one of the most prominent figures in grain and flour circles and one of the pioneers of the city, died here Friday. He was at one time secretary of the Millers' National Federation and for more than ten years was secretary of the Minnesota Millers' association.

Engineer on Lackawanna Killed.

Jersey City, N. J., Feb. 8.—Engineer John Lyman of Hoboken was killed and 120 passengers well shaken up when a local train, bound from this city for Dover over the Lackawanna railroad, was derailed at the west end of the Bergen tunnel Friday night.

Veteran Horse Trainer Dead.

St. Louis, Feb. 8.—Patrick J. Grogan, formerly one of the best known horse trainers in the west, died at his home here Friday.

The Way of the World.

No that is up is tossed; he that is down is kicked.—Gaelic Proverb.

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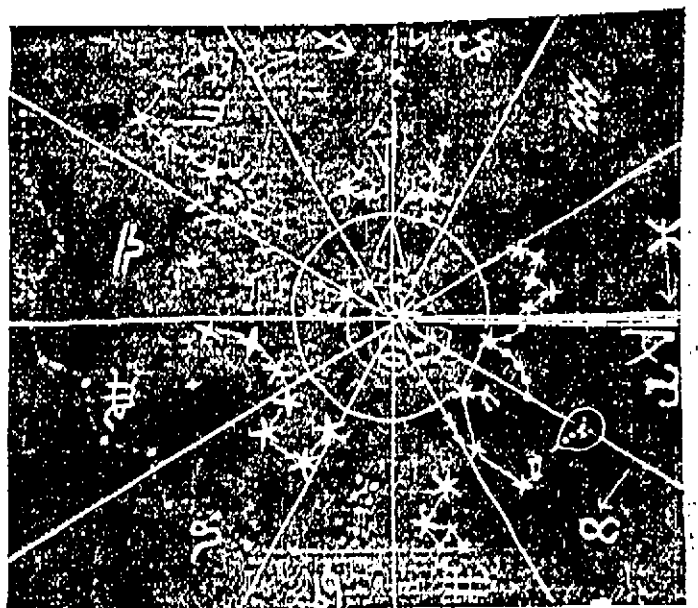
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ON WEDDING DAY.

ONE YEAR LATER.



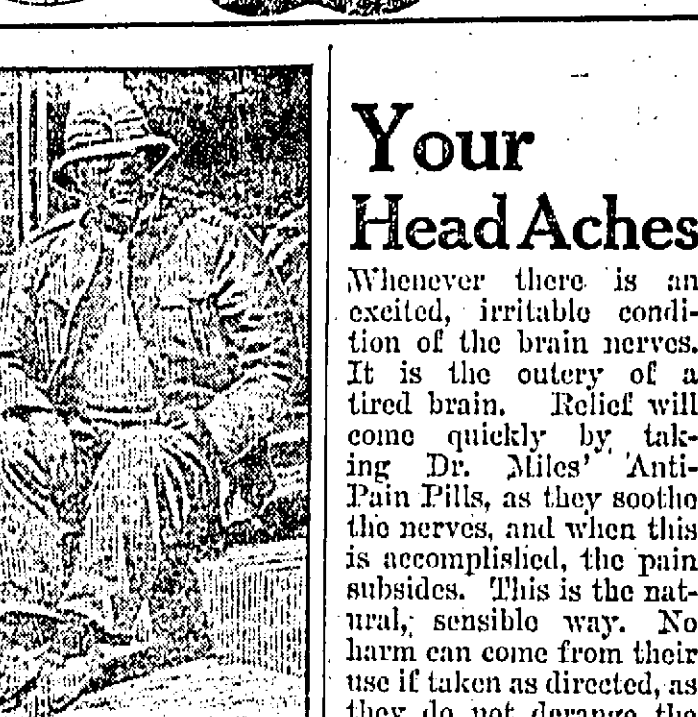
THE SHY ONE

Jacques Mig, Co. Chicago.

**KC**  
**BAKING POWDER**

Stands for  
**Quality Economy Purity**

In providing the family's meals, don't be satisfied with anything but the best. KC is guaranteed perfection at a moderate price. It makes everything better. Try and see.



A KING IN DURANCE VILE

This picture shows Dinzulu, the deposed king of the Zulus, in the door of his cell. The trial is now proceeding at Pietermaritzburg. He has been allowed to bring three of his wives with him. Dinzulu now wears a khaki tunic and sweater. He is imprisoned in the women's part of the jail. Aside from his splendid round face, the most striking feature of Dinzulu's personality is his particularly small and neat feet.

It gives me pleasure to tell what the Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills have done for me. I was troubled for years with headache, but am glad to say that after using the Pills I now feel that I am entirely cured. I wish all that suffer from headache would try them. Miss Editha Wright, 154 Douglas St., Worcester, Mass.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will benefit. If it fails, he will return your money. 25 doses, 25 cents. Never sold in bulk. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

One Thing You Don't Need. Here's some inside information: If you haven't had the grip, don't get it. It's not worth having.

HERD T. WOLFEY, Prop., 37 Great Jones Street, New York.





# Two More Lines to Close Out--Laces and Embroideries

Lack of room makes it necessary to discontinue certain lines and the recent sale of underwear was the first one to go. It will be followed by a clean-up of laces and embroideries and coming right now in time for your spring sewing, it will offer many attractions.

## Sale Begins Tuesday, Feb. 11th

Val Laces—Edges, insertings, beadings, matched sets. Torchon Laces—Two hundred pieces. Zion City Laces, Wide Cotton Laces, Mechlin Laces, Orientals, Venise, Band Laces, Trimming Laces, Allovers, in all a very complete lace stock.

Embroideries—Swiss Nainsook and Cambric, in edges, insertings, beadings and allovers.

**I**N SUCH LINES it is not possible to give a very good idea of prices in type, but the fact that they will be based on net cost will be the best assurance that values will be extraordinary. Among items which will be on sale may be mentioned a line of Torchon laces, various widths, at 3c per yard. Val laces which are usually 5c will be 3c. 8c widths will be 5c and 10c widths 7c, and all other vals in like proportion. Wide trimming laces will be specially priced at 7c for regular 10c and 12½c widths. A number of patterns in 18 inch all over embroidery at 45c per yard. Two lots of medium and wide widths in embroidery at 8c and 14c. Whatever your needs will be for the next year, it will pay you to take advantage of the great values afforded by this sale.

NOTE—The underwear values now offered are exceptional. Fleece vests and pants, 15c. Fleece union suits, 33c. Dollar underwear, 67c.

# CLOAKS AT HALF **Simpson** CLOAKS AT HALF DRY GOODS

## WHAT IS YOUR OPINION?

The Gazette wants the opinion of the ladies on the following question:

## WHO PAYS FOR THE ADVERTISING?

We will award three prizes for the best opinions

### PRIZES TO LADIES ONLY

- 1st prize - \$3.00  
2nd prize - 2.00  
3rd prize - 1.00

All opinions must be sent to this office by 6:00 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 13. They must be written in 200 words or less, and on one side of the paper only. Sign the opinion with a fictitious name and enclose your true name on a separate piece of paper.

Remember, the question is: WHO PAYS FOR THE ADVERTISING? This refers only to advertising in THE GAZETTE. To give an example of moribund advertising and its results, let us take two merchants, one an advertiser and the other a non-advertiser.

**THE NON-ADVERTISER**, let us suppose, spends \$75 each month for rent, \$200 each month for salaries, and \$75 a month for light, heat, and incidentals, amounting to \$4,200 as his total expense for one year. From this total expense he has been able to sell enough goods to make him a GROSS profit of \$7,000, from which he deducts his expense \$4,200, leaving him \$2,800 for his remuneration and interest on his investment.

**THE ADVERTISER** sells the same goods at the same prices. His rent is the same as the non-advertiser, his salaries the same, his incidental expense is the same, but he adds on to this \$50 a month for advertising which brings his total expense to \$4,800. He finds, however, that the \$50 each month for advertising has enabled him to increase his sales in the year, and that his gross profits are \$8,000, from which he deducts the total expense of \$4,800, leaving him \$3,200 for remuneration and interest.

Now, the question, who pays the \$50 each month for this advertising? The advertiser surely is ahead because his net profits are \$3,200, while the non-advertiser only made \$2,800. The consumer buys the same goods at the same prices, so they do not pay it.

WHO PAYS FOR THE ADVERTISING?

What is your opinion? Let us have it today.

## Only A Few Days More of Our Wonderful Sale of Monuments

March 1st brings this sale to a close and then our prices will go back to the standard. During this sale one lady secured a \$300 monument for \$225. We have just-as good bargains for you. We still have a good assortment of monuments and markers unsold, which we would like to close out during this sale.

Never again will there be offered to the public so large a stock of beautiful monuments of the very best quality of stone and of the latest design at the prices which we are now offering these for. If you are thinking of buying something for spring, do not hesitate longer, but buy now while you can save yourself money. Remember we do not ask any money down; we do not want our money before our work is completed, and it will be late in April before we can set any work. This is not a cash sale—you can pay in installments if you wish; we simply want the room which this work is taking up for our new stock which is soon to arrive.

All work guaranteed and all lettering done by pneumatic tools by skilled workmen.

## MRS. F. A. BENNETT CO.

NORTH FRANKLIN STREET



HARRY KAAD.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 7.—One of the most promising ice skaters of the west is Harry Kaad, a member of the North-west skating club. In the last races held at the Logan Square rink Kaad placed second to his clubmate, A. C. G. Anderson, in all three events in which they were entered. He invariably got the start on the western champion and only lost out on the sprint near the

finish. He is young and has plenty of time before him to develop into an "ice wonder."

### DOUBTFUL OF THE GUARANTEE.

Specific Clause Caused Increase in Price of Cloth.

The Arabs, and, indeed, all Moslems, have the practice of re-enforcing promises by adding to their word of honor the Arabic phrase, Inshallah—"please God." How much meaning it conveys in some lands of the east is told in the pages of "In Moorish Captivity."

The pious proviso is a very useful formula to the Moors, and is frequently used in making promises that they have no intention whatever of keeping, as they can then take refuge behind the Almighty when they are taxed with their breach of faith.

There is a story told of a man who kept a shop in Gibraltar, and who knew the ways of the Moor. To him one day came one of the faithful, who was desirous of buying some cloth. On being informed that the price was two dollars a yard, payment in 60 days, he replied:

"All right. I will take so much and will pay you in 60 days, Inshallah."

"No," said the vendor, "the price is two dollars, payment in 60 days. For 60 days, Inshallah, the price is two dollars and a half."—Youth's Companion.

### Curious Cyclone in Japan.

In a bulletin printed in Japan Prof. Omori reports a regular phenomenon which attended the passage of a cyclone near Tokio. There was a tilting of the earth's surface in one direction as the storm approached and in the other direction after it had gone. Both movements, registered at the professor's seismological observatory, indicated a sinking of the earth where the atmospheric pressure was lowest. The expert accounts for it by supposing that suction at the storm center raised the level of the adjacent sea, and thus imposed an abnormal burden on the bottom of the ocean.

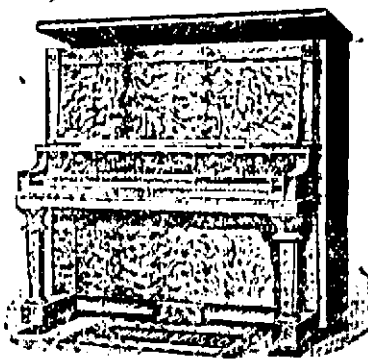
### Parents Held Responsible.

New York has adopted very stringent rules for the preservation of the health of school children, one of the latest developments being the rule that parents who do not keep their children in good health shall be prosecuted. This seems a little autocratic at first glance, but those who have studied the subject will readily understand that it is only common justice, as many parents are utterly indifferent as to the health of their children, exposing them unnecessarily, clothing them inadequately and not providing good food for them, even when their means allow.

Head the want ads.

## The Newman Bros. Piano

Embodies several new and special features in piano building.



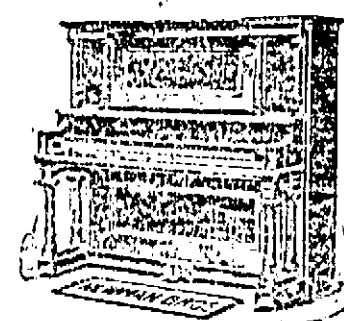
Our new scale is unexcelled for its even scale power, quality and tone; drawn by a piano maker of more than thirty years of practical experience.

This is the age of progress and progress is the child of inventive action. In the manufacture of our celebrated line of

## Overstrung Cabinet Grand Pianos

we have introduced many new ideas, the result of employing expert workmen. No incompetent or juvenile help in any of our departments. Thus with nothing but men of mature experience, combined with the best materials, we have created a line of instruments that is unsurpassed.

Perhaps you have an old worn out piano or organ that you would like to trade in toward a new piano. If that is the case just call up new phone Red 725 and see how quick we can make a trade. Whatever you do don't buy a cheap piano. Pay a fair price to a reliable piano dealer and you will have no cause to feel sorry as far as the piano goes.



There are nearly one hundred and fifty Newman Bros. Pianos sold in Rock and Walworth counties. This surely speaks well for the Newman. Buy a Newman Bros. Piano and be happy.

Send for illustrated catalogue.

## H. F. NOTT

111 Terrace St. AGENT. Janesville, Wis.

## Vegetable and Fruit Slicer

Made of solid wood base, well seasoned and finished, 3½ by 12½ inch adjustable knife which can be removed and sharpened when dull. A hole for hanging. Will slice potatoes, carrots, cabbage, apples, pineapples, in fact all fruits and vegetables and will last forever.

Cost, - 10c.

THE RACKET, 163 West Mil. St.